UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA BEAUFORT DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

C/A No.: 9:23-396-RMG

vs.

RICHARD ALEXANDER MURDAUGH

Defendant,

NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROTECTION FROM COURT APPEARANCES

Richard A. Harpootlian, attorney for Defendant Richard Alexander Murdaugh, hereby gives notice of hie request for protection the court in the above-captioned action from April 4, 2024 through April 12, 2024 due to a planned vacation out of the country. Currently, there are no scheduling conflicts on the requested dates.

Respectfully submitted,

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